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Wendell Owen, Mine Manager  
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P.O. Box 1245  
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Re: Revised Permit to Include Wild Horse Ridge Extension, Co-Op Mining Company, Bear Canyon Mine, C/015//025-AM01A, Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Owen:

The Division has processed the Wild Horse Ridge Addition to the Bear Canyon Mine, including all materials submitted as of this date and has determined the application adequate. The Decision Document and permit are enclosed. Please note the special conditions since they are critical to your ability to mine coal. The permit authorizes you to commence coal mining and reclamation operations on the surface but before conducting underground mining in the federal lease, you will need to obtain Federal Mine Plan Approval from the Secretary of the Interior. Please have both copies of the permit signed by an authorized representative and return one to the Division.

The Division reserves the right to amend or rescind any requirements of the permit to conform to any terms or conditions imposed by the Secretary in the approval of the mining plan.

Thank you for your cooperation during the permitting process. If you have any questions, please call me.

Sincerely,

*Lowell P. Braxton*  
Lowell P. Braxton  
Director

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Enclosures: (3)

cc: Joe Willcox, OSM-WRCC  
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